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IN RE THE APPLICATION OF)
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FOR: Containment System For)
Computer Equipment)

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It is noted that all three references were cited in the British search report merely as a category A documents, i.e. of technological background interest only. It is believed that none of them shows or suggests a system with the features as claimed in the present claims. In particular, none of them shows a containment system in which a second containment unit is nestable between strengthening flanges of a first containment unit.

It is therefore submitted that the claims of this application are clearly patentable over these references.

Examination of the application on its merits is awaited.

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